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OVERSEAS TRADE

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEAS TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of the wide variety of imports they have in many cases been grouped under headings indicative of main items in the group, e.g. Apparel and Attire; this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

VALUE of exports is expressed £A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" £A f.o.b. or "domestic value" £A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	Unit	November	November	Five months ended 30th November	
		1961	1962	1961	1962
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>					
Butter	'000 lb.	214	-	401	73
Cheese	'000 lb.	2,437	1,104	7,973	5,474
Flour (inc. Semolina)	ton	3,911	11,718	34,561	43,365
Fruit, Dried - Currants	'000 lb.	218	160	3,975	2,066
Raisins	'000 lb.	270	672	6,972	10,351
Other	'000 lb.	35	34	818	1,142
Fresh - Apples	case	-	-	1,710	-
Preserved and Pulped	'000 lb.	316	243	4,863	7,613
Grain - Barley	'000 bush.	2,226	151	12,938	560
Oats	'000 bush.	13	-	898	-
Wheat	'000 bush.	3,020	582	11,787	4,198
Meat - Lamb	'000 lb.	3,382	6,587	5,265	10,220
Peas (inc. Split Peas)	cental	2,854	5,565	26,779	21,509
Spirituous Liquors	pf gal.	3,544	4,290	32,611	32,079
Wine	'000 gal.	120	60	790	737
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances</u> (not Foodstuffs)					
Tallow	cwt	8,093	16,889	52,310	77,730
Wool - Greasy	'000 lb.	18,776	17,117	69,581	69,751
Other	'000 lb.	1,167	1,367	6,096	5,967
<u>Minerals, Metals, & Metal Manufactures</u>					
Minerals - Gypsum	'000 cwt	151	157	682	1,099
Concentrates and Ores -					
Copper	'000 cwt	90	-	278	190
Lead and Silver-lead	'000 cwt	-	128	386	880
Zinc	'000 cwt	59	200	1,568	1,294
Metals & Metal Manufactures -					
Iron and Steel Scrap	'000 cwt	44	65	259	183
Lead (Pig)	'000 cwt	276	135	1,229	1,295
Silver (Bars, Ingots)	'000 fine oz.	75	2	377	4

- Nil or less than half final digit.

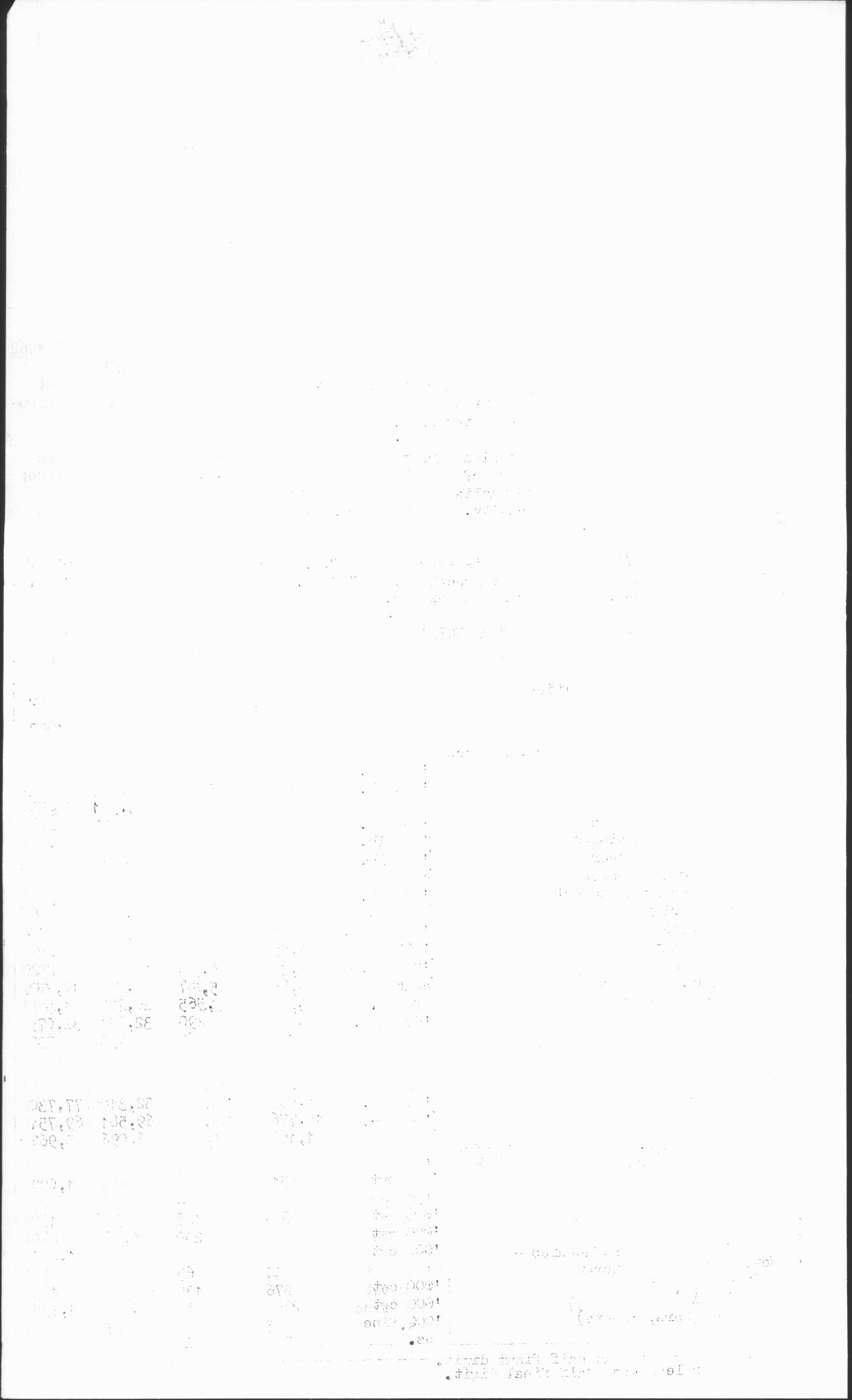


TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	November	November	Five months ended 30th November	
			1961	1962
	£'000			
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>				
Butter	27	-	50	9
Cheese	197	102	642	475
Fish (inc. Crayfish)	-	-	32	58
Flour (inc. Semolina)	118	346	1,014	1,319
Fruit, Dried - Currants	13	10	237	121
Raisins	22	42	491	658
Other	5	4	119	170
Fresh - Apples	-	-	3	-
Other	43	47	119	156
Juices and Syrups	1	3	3	17
Preserved and Pulpel	20	13	315	442
Grain - Barley	893	81	5,735	298
Oats	4	-	253	-
Wheat	2,084	452	8,153	3,222
Honey	10	6	73	48
Meat - Lamb	244	558	380	863
Other	116	300	403	841
Peas (inc. Split Peas)	5	14	63	54
Spirituous Liquors	5	10	60	56
Wine	87	51	611	597
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances</u>				
(not Foodstuffs)				
Hides and Skins	332	421	1,415	1,696
Tallow	23	40	178	196
Wool - Greasy	4,165	3,875	16,017	15,325
Other	375	451	2,183	1,997
<u>Minerals, Metals, & Metal Manufactures</u>				
Minerals -				
Gypsum	37	24	109	133
Concentrates and Ores -				
Copper	303	-	946	644
Lead and Silver-lead	-	326	1,091	2,156
Zinc	53	184	1,416	1,128
Metals and Metal Manufactures -				
Cadmium	-	-	18	8
Iron and Steel Scrap	33	35	212	104
Lead (Pig)	1,089	447	4,850	4,054
Machinery and Vehicles	236	252	1,231	995
Silver (Bars, Ingots)	31	1	155	2
Other Metals & Metal Manufactures	331	514	1,740	1,038
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Paints, Drugs, Chemicals, Plastics	8	10	68	55
Salt	33	14	147	126
All Other	139	153	991	777
TOTAL EXPORTS	11,082	8,786	51,523	39,838

(a) The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

- Nil or less than £500.

TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	November	November	Five months ended 30th November	
	1961	1962	1961	1962
	£'000			
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>				
Cocoa, Coffee, and Chicory	13	10	66	67
Fish	52	75	195	223
Tea	57	28	250	199
Tobacco and Cigarettes	7	10	48	58
Whisky	12	7	36	30
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances</u> (not Foodstuffs)				
Apparel and Attire	23	18	101	126
Bags and Sacks	672	171	2,352	1,070
Fibres - Vegetable	118	126	407	619
Paper, Paper Pulp, and Paper Board	37	239	624	908
Rubber and Rubber Goods	51	78	225	367
Stationery and Books (incl. Paper Manufactures)	134	122	596	564
Textiles and Piecegoods	192	266	1,048	1,416
Timber	66	232	681	1,229
Yarns	7	18	40	63
<u>Paints, Drugs, Chemicals, Plastics</u>				
Drugs, Chemicals, and Medicines	165	209	670	789
Fertilizers	61	8	388	366
Paints, Varnishes, and Pigments	16	32	69	122
Plastic Materials, Fibres, and Yarns	82	78	302	563
<u>Minerals, Metals, and Metal Manufactures</u>				
Cutlery and Platedware	8	11	29	54
Electrical Equipment	255	313	1,383	2,258
Iron and Steel	132	218	554	1,143
Machines and Machinery -				
Dynamo Electrical	42	47	289	637
Other	559	950	3,282	4,473
Non-ferrous Metals	13	61	86	202
Vehicles -				
Aircraft and Parts	8	23	64	81
Motor Vehicles and Parts	96	510	1,323	6,193
Motor Cycles, Cycles and Parts	5	18	52	76
Other Vehicles and Parts	13	27	65	154
Wire	11	37	40	159
Other Metals and Metal Manufactures	201	173	724	891
<u>Oils, Fats, Waxes</u>				
Petrol	70	177	720	910
Kerosene	22	11	162	279
Lubricating Oils (Mineral)	18	68	333	242
Other	46	89	298	406
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Arms, Ammunition, Explosives	5	6	29	52
Earthenware - Ceramic Tiles	16	30	51	98
Householdware	27	32	123	160
Glass and Glassware	48	98	300	644
Instruments - Musical	6	15	30	47
Scientific	26	15	103	124
Jewellery and Timepieces	40	32	139	135
Outside Packages (a)	69	113	369	678
All Other	306	429	1,599	1,934
TOTAL IMPORTS	3,807	5,230	20,245	30,809

(a) See note (a) page 2.

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